

The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 0.0124 cubic feet per second, or sufficient water to water 400 head of cattle.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

May 20, 2003

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before:

June 20, 2003

Water must be placed to beneficial use on or before:

May 20, 2005

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

June 20, 2005

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

N/A

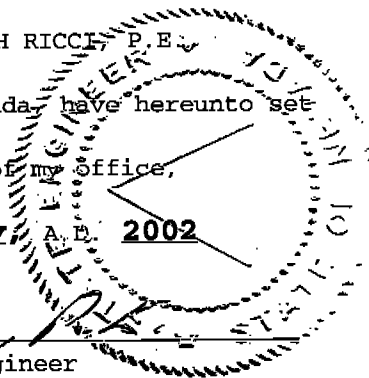
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, HUGH RICCI, P.E.

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set

my hand and the seal of my office,

this 20th day of May, A.D. 2002


State Engineer

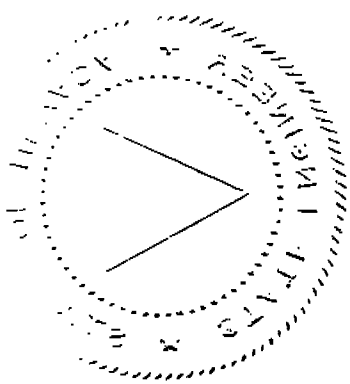


Completion of work filed _____

Proof of beneficial use filed _____

Cultural map filed N/A _____

Certificate No. _____ Issued _____



NO. 65682

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC
WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office DEC 03 1999

Returned to applicant for correction _____

Corrected application filed _____

Map filed DEC 03 1999

The applicant **DeLong Ranches, Inc.**, hereby makes application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated.

1. The source of the proposed appropriation is **underground**
2. The amount of water applied for is **0.0124 cfs** second-feet
 - (a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet
3. The water to be used for **stockwatering purposes**
4. If use is for:
 - (a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated
 - (b) Stockwater, state number and kinds of animals to be watered **400 head of cattle**
 - (c) Other use (describe fully under No. 12. "Remarks")
 - (d) Power:
 - (1) Horsepower developed
 - (2) Point of return of water to stream
5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point **within the SE¼ SW¼ of Section 11, T.37N., R.32E., MDB&M (unsurveyed) or at a point from which the SE corner of Section 35, T.38N., R.32E., MDB&M bears N 20° 20' E 10,780.00 feet**
6. Place of Use **SE¼ SW¼ of Section 11, T.37N., R.32E., MDB&M**
7. Use will begin about **January 1** and end about **December 31** of each year.
8. Description of proposed works **drilled well, pipeline, and trough**
9. Estimated cost of works in excess of \$5,000
10. Estimated time required to construct works **1 year**
11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use **2 years**

12. Remarks: Applicant wishes to be able to drill this well immediately. Due to the wildfires this summer, an emergency situation exists concerning the availability of stockwater on the applicant's grazing allotment.

Desert Mountain Surveying as agent
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Compared gkl/cmf dr/cmf

Protested USDI, BLM, 3/8/00

Pro. Overruled December 19, 2001. See Ruling #5084.

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit is issued subject to all existing rights on the source. It is understood that the amount of water herein granted is only a temporary allowance and that the final water right obtained under this permit will be dependent upon the period of use and the average number of livestock served from the waters of this source. It is further understood that this right must allow for a reasonable lowering of the static water level at permittee's well due to any other ground water development in the area. The well shall be equipped with a 2-inch opening for measuring depth to water. If well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times but does not take responsibility for the use of the Federal range.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

This permit is issued under the provisions of NRS 534.120(2) as a preferred use.

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